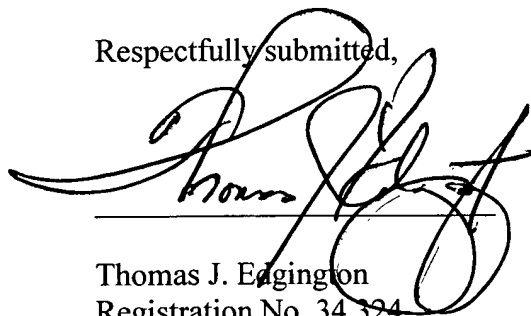


REMARKS

Applicant has canceled claims 1-13 and is enclosing an Information Disclosure Statement ("IDS") herewith. Examination of the subject application, consideration of the IDS and passage to allowance of the pending claims at an early date are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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